

<b>Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary</b>	<b>Application No.</b>	<b>Applicant(s)</b>	
	09/778,242	BEAUMONT, MATT	
	<b>Examiner</b>	<b>Art Unit</b>	
	Arnel C. Lavarias	2872	

**All Participants:**

(1) Arnel C. Lavarias.

(2) Scott C. Harris (Applicant's representative).

**Date of Interview:** 18 May 2006

**Type of Interview:**

☒ Telephonic

☐ Video Conference

☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, provide a brief description: n/a.

**Part I.**

Rejection(s) discussed:

n/a

Claims discussed:

1,4,6,9-33

Prior art documents discussed:

n/a

**Part II.**

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

See Continuation Sheet

**Part III.**

☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.

☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.


**Status of Application:** Allowance

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**Time:** 2:40 PM

  
Arnel C. Lavarias  
Patent Examiner  
Group Art Unit 2872

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(Examiner/SPE Signature)

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(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: Examiner contacted Applicant's representative to request authorization for an examiner's amendment to correct minor informalities in Claim 1, as well as to cancel Claims 9-33 as being drawn to non-elected inventions. Additionally, Examiner noted that Claims 4 and 6 will be rejoined since these claims are dependent on an allowable claim. Details regarding the examiner's amendment may be found in the attached Office Action.